

Saint Mary's Catholic Church

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Holy Mass and Liturgies

1st Week of Advent year C. PSALTER Week 2

Mass Intentions would be

GREATLY APPRECIATED

Saturday 7th December

9.30 Holy Mass - Suzanne Shimwell RIP *
followed by Exposition and Confessions until
11am.

17.00 Vigil Mass for 2nd Sunday of Advent -
- Mrs Drury

Sunday 8th December- 2nd Sunday in Advent

9.30 – Holy Mass – Shirley and Les Waterfield RIP

Monday 9th December Solemnity of the
Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin
Mary

9.30 Holy Mass – Harry Williams RIP

Tuesday 10th December St. Edmund Jennings
10.00 Holy Mass- School attending in Church

Pupils, Teachers, Parents and Governors

Wednesday 11th December Advent Feria

9.30 Mass – The Babs Mill Boys RIP

Thursday 12th December Advent Feria

18.30 Rosary.

19.00 Holy Mass – Harry Williams RIP

Friday 13th December Advent Feria

9.30 Holy Mass – The Whiston Family

In an emergency if
Father Michael is not
available, please ring
Cannon Neylon:
01785-223553 Saint
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SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT. YEAR C

THIS SUNDAY 8TH – SECOND COLLECTION FOR
POOR PARISHES IN THE DIOCESE

Saturday 14th December Mem'of Saint John of
the Cross

9.30 Holy Mass – Reconciliation followed by
Exposition
Confessions until 11am.

17.00 Vigil Mass for 2nd Sunday of Advent -
- Private Intention

Sunday 15th December 3rd Sunday of Advent

Holy Mass 9.30 Sick and House-bound of the
Parish

Parish coffee Morning after Sunday 15th
Mass – Cakes, Peter's Pickles, Hamper
Raffle.....

Times of Holy Mass 2024 **Christmas and New Year**

Christmas Eve Tuesday 24th December Vigil Mass of the Nativity of
the Lord 18:00 (6:00p.m.)

Christmas Day Wednesday 25th December First Mass of Christmas
00:00 (12:00 midnight) Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord 9:30a.m.

Normal Mass and liturgical schedule resumes until New Years Day

Wednesday 1st January 2025 New years day Holy Mass at 9:30a.m.
and 19:00 7:00p.m.

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During the cold weather, Weekday Mass will take place in the
Presbytery. Please enter by the Presbytery door. *This*
excludes Tuesday 10th and 17th when School will be in
church.

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and National Archdioceses policies and procedures at all times. At present if you have any concerns, please contact the Diocesan Safeguarding team on 0121 230 6240 or email safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk

More information www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk PTO Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility, not just that of the few. We all need to play our part to keep people safe.

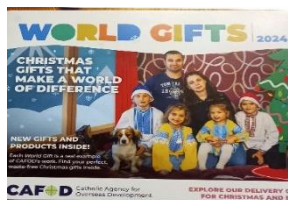
At present we do not have a safeguarding officer – could you find time to help? If so, or for more information, please see Father Michael.

Please pray for the sick of our Parish Terry and Barbara Allen, Peter Edginton, Tori Roberts, Chloe Baker, Eileen Jones, Sheila Morrell, Annemarie Thomas-Banyard, Sean Devlin Margaret Mitchell, Stella Roberts, Holly Lindley, Mary Copestake, Natalina Ball, Janette Prince, Janette Colclough, Beth Munroe, Marie Sowter, Brenda Hammersley, Joan Mern, Josie Goodwin, Hannah Prince, Fr. Fred, Betty Chadwick, Paul Gascoigne, Julie Broadbridge, Kevin McAuley, Eamon Dooley, Bernard Weetman. Kath Guyatt.

Suzanne Shimwell RIP.

Please pray for those whose anniversaries occur at this time 9th – 15th December

Harry Williams, Elizabeth Brandrick, Pat Mellor, Mr and Mrs Demos, Marjorie Mcloughlin, Katie Bradbury, William Walker, Beatrice Hollins, Edith Allen, Mary Waltho, Brian Oldham, Percy Crutchley and Father Julian Bamford.



Please, if you wish to, sign the board at the back of church and put a donation, however small, into the wooden box marked CAFOD.

Hopefully as a Parish we may

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Any newsletter Inserts to sallypmh@btinternet.com by Thursday please.

Vocations Rota

December 8th Sun. Isobel; Mon. Maureen A; Tues. Trish; Wed. Bridget W; Thurs. Judy Allcock; Fri. St. Joseph's School; Sat. Darius



The Pope's Prayer Intention for December

We pray that this



Jubilee Year strengthens our faith, helping us to recognise the Risen Christ in our daily lives, and that it may transform us into pilgrims of Christian hope.

'Our Lady, Queen of Peace, pray for us.' Please say this little prayer at noon.



Advent is a four-week period in the Christian church calendar when people prepare for the birth of Jesus and look forward to his return. During Advent, Christians often reflect on themes of hope, peace, love, and joy.

It is the beautiful task of Advent to awaken in all of us memories of goodness and thus to open doors of hope.

A new edition of the Lectionary — using the English Standard Version - Catholic Edition and the Abbey Psalms and Canticles — has come into use in England and Wales on the First Sunday of Advent, 1 December.

In the Introduction to the Lectionary we read: "When God shares his Word with us, he awaits our response, that is, our listening and our adoring 'in Spirit and truth' (John 4:23). The Holy Spirit makes our response effective, so that what we hear in the celebration of the Liturgy we carry out in the way we live: 'Be doers of the word and not hearers only' (James 1:22)."

Collection: Nov 30th + December 1st

GA £100.00 Non GA £219.67 Total £319.67